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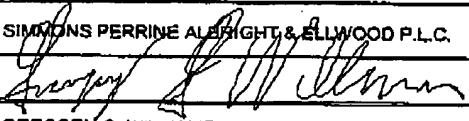
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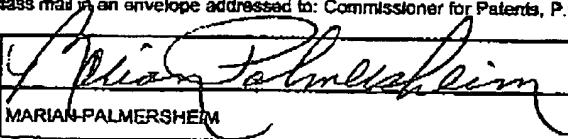
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Other Prior Art

1. SCHMIDT, JANNI, NICOLAI, "Biofilters for Odor Control",
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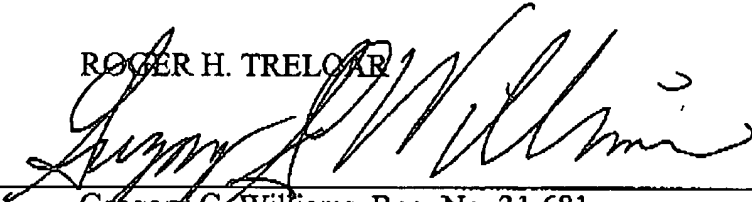
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